



February 6, 2013

The Honorable Anna Eshoo
U.S. House of Representatives
205 Cannon House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Mike Rogers
U.S. House of Representatives
2112 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Representatives Eshoo and Rogers;

On behalf of the Telecommunications Industry Association (TIA), I am writing to applaud your bipartisan leadership in introducing the Energy Efficient Government Technology Act.

TIA is a leading trade association for the information and communications technology industry, with over 500 member companies that manufacture or supply the products and services used in global communications. Our companies strongly support efforts to harness the multiplier effect of information and communications technology to reduce energy consumption. The Federal government will realize significant energy efficiency and cost savings through the adoption of the information and communications technologies and best practices enabled by this legislation. In addition, we support your efforts to improve the efficiency of data centers owned and operated by the Federal government.

Thank you again for your efforts. TIA appreciates your strong bipartisan commitment to and leadership on this legislation and we look forward to working with you on this important issue.

Sincerely,

Grant Seiffert
President